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Date: August 1, 2018

Press Release

The Genesee County 9-1-1 Authority, Emergency Weather/Civil Warning Sirens have been suspiciously compromised.

The Genesee County 9-1-1 Authority and the Genesee County Sheriff's Office of Emergency Management are investigating the cause of the activations to our current Emergency Siren Alert System.

We are working with local, state, and federal agencies to resolve the concerns of these false activations.

Last night's sirens activations that went off at 6:25 pm effecting the Mott College Campus area in the City of Flint.

At 11:25 pm, the activation effected the City of Burton, City of Flint, Flint Township, Gaines Township and Mundy Township communities was not weather related and not set off by Genesee County 9-1-1 staff.

We are investigating all possibilities to resolve the problem and to maintain the safety and security of our community. We are aggressively working at finding the cause of the activations. We are very concerned given time of year about the public's safety.

Crime Stoppers has offered up to \$1,000 reward for information leading to the arrest of the individual or individuals responsible. You can contact Crime Stoppers on the free mobile app P3Tips.com or call 1-800-422-JAIL.

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